SENATE BILL 1858

By Southerland

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 54, Chapter 21, relative to billboard regulation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-21-104(b)(1), is amended by deleting the language "The commissioner shall use best efforts to process an application for a permit," and substituting instead the language "The commissioner shall process an application for a permit,".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-21-104(b)(1), is amended by adding the following sentence at the end of the subdivision:

The commissioner may provide applicants with an application timeline for permit applications under this act.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.